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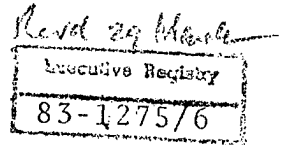
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Executive Director
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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your recent letter concerning the Agency's proposal to address domestic relocation problems.

I was disappointed that your letter - and the information provided the Committee by CIA officials - does not reflect a community-wide approach. As you should be aware from the Committee's treatment of personnel benefits and allowances questions, the Committee believes that the Director should actively promote community-wide solutions where personnel from different intelligence agencies are affected similarly by intelligence operations and administration. Solutions to such commonly experienced problems should address the needs of all affected community agencies.

Domestic relocation allowances that offer remuneration to intelligence personnel for moves required by their employment should be reasonable and substantial enough to minimize the financial burden of such moves. The Committee agrees that such allowances are essential to retain qualified intelligence personnel.

The Committee plans to address the effect of current and proposed domestic relocation allowances in a hearing to be scheduled in the near future. In the interim, the Committee asks that you assist its staff in preparing for this hearing and that the Agency take no further action until the Committee has had an opportunity to review the matter fully.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Edward P. Boland

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Chairman

